

DECLARATION

As a below named inventor, I declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe the below named inventor is the original and first inventor of the subject matter that is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled **APPARATUSES AND METHODS USEFUL FOR CENTERING WATERCRAFT**, the specification of which:

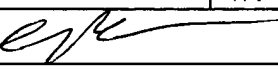
☒ is attached.
☐ was filed on _____ as Application Serial No. _____.

I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose to the Patent and Trademark Office all information known to me to be material to patentability of the subject matter claimed in this application, as "materiality" is defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56.

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